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In re the Application of)
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PCT/EP 99/03469)

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For: NOVEL PEPTIDE FRAGMENTS FOR PURIFYING PROTEINS

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Honorable Commissioner of
Patents and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This subject information disclosure statement is submitted in connection with
applicants' continuing duty of disclosure under 37 CFR 1.56.

Listing of Relevant Documents

The relevant documents are listed in the attached Form PTO-1449.

REMARKS

Chromatography A, 800(1), 1998: 29-37, Volz et al. is listed in the international search
report in category "A".

EP 282 042 = U.S. 5,310 663 is listed in the international search report in category "A".

EP 409 814 is listed in the international search report in category "A".

J.Biol. Chem. 271(1), 1996, 4416-457, Melchers et al. is listed in the international search
report in category "A".

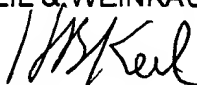
The remaining documents can be found in the specification on pages 1, 2, 5, 8, 9, 12,
13, 14 and 16 .

A copy of the international search report is attached.

Entry is respectfully solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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